BEST FINANCIAL PAGE IN WASHINGTON

PRICES SWING SHARPLY UPWARD

· Wall Street Eagerly Accepts Cheerful Reports on Diplomatic Situation.

COPPERS LEAD ADVANCE

Record Steel Output Adds Buoyancy to Market-Oil Stocks Bought for Rise.

New York, March &-Wall Street grasped eagerly in the last half hour today at the cheerful reports from Wash-ington regarding the German situation. The mere fact that the German Ambassador and the State Department wer in conference led to rumors that the whole submarine controversy had been settled. Prices advanced sharply and the market closed in the midst of a swim

Coppers led in the advance. Copper real meetined to real whether there is per people say that if this country should become involved in war it would creat such a demand for copper metal as t put the price up to new high levels. Another cheerful influence was the re

port that American steel mills broke a records for February output.
Still another factor was the government report that nearly 250,000,000 bushels of ain are left over in the farmers'

man exchange sold at 72 1-2, the low-est on record in New York, There was no satisfactory explanation.

The German advances at Verdun did

not seem to chill the enthusiasm of the market as they have been doing for the past ten days. Butte and Superior was a leader on the

metals. It was exceeded in activity by Kennecott. Extra dividends are hinted at for several copper stocks, and in the case of one newcomer from Boston the directors have obligated themselves to pay the current rate of dividends for

pay the current rate of dividends for at least two years.

On the curb, where most of the oil stocks have their market, there was quiet accumulation, due to the knowl-edge that the price of gasoline is to ad-vance continuously for the next few

vere inclined to keep their customers out of the market today. They admitted a belief in a marked advance this spring, belief in a marked advance this spring, but they feel that international questions now under discussion are of such a character that they may cause a break.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

747	EW TORK STOCK	Diam	TELL	
25.07		York,	March	8.
37,400	Alaska Gold Mine	21% 9%	17% 8%	21%
2.400	Allis-Chalmers	30%	2914	30
6,700	Auterican Can	5954	58%	59%
400		67 1/2	67	6714
100 200	Am, Hide & L	29	54 ₆	29
1,000	American Linseed pfd	394	3816	3814
7,100	American Locomotive	70%	68%	70%
200	American Malt. pfd	35%	34%	35
5,790	American Smelting American Steel Fdy		96% 65%	19%
2,000	American Steel Fdy American Sugar	111	107%	109%
700	American Tel. & Tel	127%	127%	27%
300	American Tobacco	199	197%	19775
4,900	American Woolen	53% 83%	33% 80	53 53%
2,500	American Zinc		85%	861s
160	Atchison	182%	100%	102%
5,300	Anacondia Atolison di Baltian Lecomo di Baltian Ofilo. Baltian Ofilo. Baltian Ofilo Butta & Ohio pfd Bethlehem Steel Butta & Sup. Cal, Petroleum	105%	103%	1041-
71.05 90:03	Balt & Ohio	87.14	97 76	85 Na 76
CB	Bethlelsen Steel	677		477
16,500	Butte & Sup	RG	97%	100%
8,0.0	Cal. Petroleum	23%	21	-4
500	Canadian Pacific	53	165 53%	165 52%
400	A Thomas Alleren Advanture	190714	92	92
1.501	Clies, & Ohio	61%	60%	61
400	Chi. M. & St. P	95%	9.4	92%
100	Clis. & Ohio. Clis. M. & St. P. Chi. & N. W. Chi. & L. & P. Ry	136	126	15%
6,600	Chila Corner	275	901	2574
3,866	Chile Copper Chine Con, Cop. Col, Pvel & Iron. Consol, Gas	57%	56%	57.5%
700	Col. Feel & Iron	42	41	41%
30.5	Consol. Gas	23%	221/2	23
18,900	Charible Steel	815	76%	80%
300		563	2014	201
800	Denne Mines	25	24%	25
1,900	Dist. Securities	4736	16% 36%	47 36%
4,700	Ktie Gen, Electric	36%	169	169
1,630	tlen, Motors	165	866	165
1,000	Goodrich, B. F	71%	70%	71%
1,193	Gr. N. Ore Subs	42%	42	42%
2.700	Goggen, Expl	23 %	21	21
100	Dinois Central	102	102	10%
5,500	Tening 4 Transpage	MARK	4574	46%
19,700	In. M. M. pfd. ctfs Int. Nickel	681 ₂ 461 ₉	651 ₆	6815 4616
36,000	Kennocott	57%	56%	57
400	Lack, Steel	75%	75%	75%
700	Lehigh Valley	75%	77%	77%
2,309	Maxwell M. Co. A Mexican Petroleum	102%	58%	102%
1.500	Miami Conser	36%	35%	2616
1,790	Miami Copper	456	3%	356
400	Missouri Pacific	5	4-4	1%
600	Montana Power New York Central	77	7412	104%
590 190	Norfolk & Western	104%	1154%	115%
100	Ontario Silver	7	674	676
1,190	Pacific Mail	26%	21%	25
2,209	Pennsylvania	571/6 1021/6	100	103%
1,700	Pittsburgh Coal pfd Press, Steel Car	52	5114	52
100		163	162	163
100	Outcksilver pfd	614	614	6%
2,836	Ray Con, Copper	24% 56	24% 83%	24%
2,108	Reading	5636	50%	51%
.700	Rock Island	%	16	96
1,200	St. L. & S. F. 2d pfd		4%	4%
100	Seaboard Air Line pfd	36	36	36
1,300	Southern Pacific Southern Railway Studebaker	97%	96% 20	304
7,300	Studebaker	140	13716	140
1,800	Tennessee Copper	57	55%	5616
1,800	Texas Co	200%	199	203%
3,300	United Fruit	1.35	13134	133
5,100	U. S. Ind. Alcohol	151	16814	150%
1,309	United States Rubber	501/2	4916	49%
32,600	United States Steel	83	85	83
1,600	Utah Copper	85% 43%	81% 42%	85% 45%
1,800	Western Maryland		2614	2716
100	Western Union Telegraph	89	89	89
1,500	Westinghouse	64	63%	64

Bord. Cond. Milk pfd	105	10016	
Butte & N. Y	2%	3	1
Canada Cop	1%	1%	C
Cowden Oil	221/2	23	-
Cramp 8. & E	69	74	
Eisenlohr T	54	Do	
Eisenlohr T. pfd	99	101	
Emerson Phonograph	111/4	12%	1
First Nat'l. Cop	5%	616	
Hartman Corp	Ti	73	
Haskell-Barker	43	45%	
Havana Tobacco	1%	276	n
Havana Tobacco pfd	3	5	U
Houston Oil	18	20.	
Intercont, Rub		131/4	
Int. S. Pump, w. i	38	43	I a
Int. S. P. A. pfd., w. i	90	101	La
Jewel Tea	63	67	١.
Kath, Brosz pfd	21	22%	. 5
Kelly S. T. 1st pfd	9514	97	1
Kelly S. T. w. i	67%	69	
Lake Torocdo B	9%	10%	
Lekigh C. Sales	78	82	
Mojave Tungsten	5%	514	1
N V Trans	1414	16	No

IP.	MONTE THERMAN
1-	N. Y. Trans
n.	Nor. Sec. "stuby"
	Otis Elevator
5-	Otis Elevator pfd
e	R. & H. Corp
le.	Royal Baking Powder
m	Royal Baking Powder pfd
ie	Singer Mfg
	United C. S. w. 1
g	United Profit Sharing
18	Wab, P. T., w. I
B	World Film
D-	Yukon Gold
a	BONDS
te	Can. Pacific 6s
	Cer. de Pasco és
to	Pac. G. & E. 5s
	West, Pac. 5s.
e-	ACTIVE CURB STOCKS.
11	Stocks High
	Aetna Exp
	Dutte Con & Tine 98

	Stocks.	mign.	LOW.
	Aetna Exp	22%	222
	Butte Cop. & Zinc	9%	7%
	Cerro de Pasco	38%	37%
	Chevrolet Mot	145	140
	Cosden & Co	231/2	23%
	Cuban Cane Sugar	54	5214
٠.	Lenn Phonograph	3%	316
5	Magma Cop	17%	17%
	Maxim Mun	7	61/2
i	Midvale Steel	63%	63
	Midvale Steel rts	136	15-16
	Nipissing	656	6%
1	Peerless Mot	381/2	27%
	Scritch G. G	1.5-1	6 13-
	Submarine Corp	3616	3516
,	Tobacco Prod		43%
1	Triangle Film	376	352

COTTON MARKETS.

Liverpool, Furnished by N. L. Carpenter & Co.

				P	revious
January-February.			p. m. 7.3614	Close.	close, 7.29
March-April			7.34	7.59%	1.57
May June			7.52%	7.58%	7,56
July-August			T.50%	7.56%	7.54
October-November.		33	7,33	7.40	7.36%
Middling, 7.72;			R. Sale	s, 7,000	bales.
	Nev	v You	rk.		
				Pr	apolye
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Cinet.
January	12.20	12.27	12.17	12,23	12,33
March		11.47	11.42	11.47	11.44

MBINLAND Javanesesses	1.40.400	4.00,41	(Fallet, A.F.)	4-9-	****
March	11.42	11.47	11,42	11.47	11.44
May		11.69	11.60	11.66	11,64
July		11,89	11,80	11.86	11.8
October		12.03	11,93	12,02	11.96
December	12.17	12.19	12.08	12,17	12, 1
		-			
	New	Orlean	n.w.		
				Pr	erious
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	close
January	12.04	12,07	72.05	12.05	12 11
March	11, 33	11.39	11.30	11.32	11.3
May		11.50	11.42	11.46	11.5
July	11.73	11.74	11.66	11.71	11.80
October	11.85	11,86	11.78	11.82	11.90
December		11.97	11.93	11.96	12.0

OIL SECURITIES.		
Furnished by W. B. Hibbs	. (
	Bid.	Aske
Angle-American Oil	1514	38
Atlantic Refining Co		665
Borne-Serrmser Co		305
Buckeye Pipe		104
Chesebrough Mfg	730	740
Colonial Oil Co	175	193
Continental Oil Co	280	288
Crescent Pipe Line	43	-47
Cumberland Pipe Line	66	71
Eureka Pipe Line	230	230
Galena-Signal Oil, pfd	134	130
Galena-Signal Oil, com	150	150
Illinois Pipe Line	180	181
Indiana Pipe Line		106
National Transit Co	30	25
New York Transit Co		200
Northern Pipe Line	162	100
Ohio Oil	232	234
Pennsylvania-Mexico		68
Pierce Oil Corp	15	15
Prairie Oil & Gas	423	400
Solar Refining Co	280	290
Southern Pipe Line Co		214
Southern Pennsylvania Oil Co		363
Southwestern Pennsylvania Pipe Line		120
Standard Oil of California		208
Standard Oil of Indiana		5/36
Standard Oil of Kansas		460
Standard Oil of Kentucky		360
Standard Oil of Nebraska		360
Standard Oil of New Jersey		514
Standard Oil of New York		22.1
Standard Oil of Ohio		560
Swan & Finch Co		140
Union Tank Line		8
Vacuum Oil Co,		23
Washington Oil Co	43	48

g.	and the second of the second o	Today.	terday.	ago.
	Sterling, demand	4.76	4.76	4.75
	Sterling, cables	4.76%	4,76%	4.77
	Sterling, 60 days	4,72%	4.73	4.73
8	Sterling, 90 days	4.70%	4.70	4,70%
-	Francs, demand	5,90%	5.90	5.87%
e	France, cables	5.90	5.89%	5.87%
n	Guilders, checks	42%	62%	42%
••	Guilders, cables	42%	4254	4294
	Reichsmarks, checks	7234	a 73 15-	
8	Reichsmarks, cables	72%	73	73%
f	Lire, checks	6,70%	6.70%	6,71%
	Lire, cables	6.70%	6.70	6,70%
8	Swim, checks	5,24	5.28%	5.34
t	Swiss, cables	5,23	5,2314	5,23
	Austrian, kronen, checks	12.75	12.90	12.90
y e	Stockholm, kroner, checks	28.25	28.20	25,16
	Copenhagen, kroner, checks	27.95	27.90	27.80
0	Pesetas, checks	19,03	19.06	19.00

New York, March 8.—Vigorous buying of Lynn Phonograph, in which there was initial trading yes terday, when it rose from 2% to 3%, made it one of the most prominent features on the Broad street. Baltimore That

A "recess" of three weeks, at which time a dividend may be declared, was taken by directors of the Lanston comtaken by directors of the Lanston company in session in New York Tuesday.

16 11-16
15 14
16 14
16 14
16 14
16 14
16 15
16 14
16 15
16 14
16 16
16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16
16 16 16 16

J. H. Hanna Made Director.

B. & O. Se. w. i. 10134

Sugar Company Profits.

New York, March 8.—After showing easiness at times, cotton finally rallied today on local covering and burning by Wall Street, closing steady at a net advance of 1 to 4 points. Initial quotations were 1 to 4 points lower, with trading featureless. Liverpool buying of May and October checked the decline and when recent sellers saw that offerings were being absorbed, prices were worked up 3 to 5 points above yesterday's close by covering. A cable from Bombay said that the government had estimated the crow of India at 3,839,000 bales, compared with 5,066,000 last year. Strength in securifies was responsible for the improvement toward the end. Some attention was attracted to reports that Germany was offering to buy cotton in the Memphis market for delivery after the war. Spot at Liverpool was in moderate demand to day at a decline of 6 points on the basis of 7.724 for mid-upland. Futures in the English market were steady at a net advance of 254336 points.

**New York March American Sugar Company for 1915 amounted to \$2,321,465,39; interest to 255 points and deposite, \$880,609, and income from investments, \$2,312,464, or a total of \$6,184,720, according to a pamphlet report cecently made. After deductions of \$6,299.972 for dividends, \$790,304 for depreciation, \$200,000 for pensions and \$221,905 or contingencies, it was necessary to draw on the surplus for \$701,992 in order to meet expenses.

**New York March &-FLOUR—Weaker; inquiry is inactive. Kansas straights, to arrive, in car lota, 5,365,56; spring clears, 5,156,55; asf straights, to arrive, 5,336,50.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, March 8.—Sentiment in wheat was quite bearish at the close tonight—in fact more bearish than at any time in the present bear campaign, if such it may be called. While the gorerament report on farm holdings of wheat was about as expected by most of the bears, they were larger than looked for by the bulls. The holdings totalled 241,717,000 bushels or 24.20 per cent of the 1915 crop, which compares with 182,305,000 bushels or 17.2 yer cent of the 1914 crop on farms March 1. Staightly builtish. They were 1,128,775,000 bushels or 37.3 per cent of the last crop. Osts reserves were placed at 366,600,000 bushels.

The wheat market is largely oversold. No im-

The wheat market is largely oversold. No im-rovement can be expected in the near future be-ause of the universally congested condition of the allways.

Not only is there a halt in the wheat trade, but

Not only is there a nait in the wheat trace, but notes and flour as well, and possibly in corn, as he sales of the latter today to the seaboard were mly 50,000 bushels. The seaboard reported 500,000 nushels of wheat taken by exporters. Liverpool rejected spot wirest hald lower with reselling by ioiders, the weakness being due partly to the deline at Loudon and political news from the Farfast.

East.

The movement of wheat to primary ports continues large, Clearances from the seaboard were small at 515,000 bushels,

Coarse grains were lower, corn closing ½ to %c and cots ½ to %c. Cash sales were 125,000 bushels corn and 175,000 bushels are with 50,000 bushels and 40,000 bushels respectively for export. Liquidation was again in evidence, but both grains recovered part of the early loss.

The same of the same of			
в. н	libbs	& C	0.
Open.	High.	Low.	Close
1.12%	1.12%	1.09%	1.10
1.10	1.10	1.08%	1.08
74%	7456	75%	74
75%	7514	7416	74
43	43%	4256	43
41%	4115	413a	4.1
22,30	20, 30	22,07	25.1
22.15	23,30	22.00	20.1
10,80	10.86	10.75	10.8
11.00	11.07	10,97	11.0
11.87	11.93	11.77	11.8
11.97	12.02	11.90	11.5
	Open. 1.12% 1.10 74% 75% 43 41% 22,30 22.15 10,80 11.00	Open. High. 1.12% 1.12% 1.10 1.10 1.10 1.76% 75% 75% 43 43% 41% 41% 22.30 22.32 22.15 22.00 10.80 10.85 11.00 11.67 11.87 11.98	1.10 1.10 1.08% 74% 74% 75% 75% 75% 74% 43 43% 42% 41% 41% 41% 22.30 22.32 22.07 22.15 22.00 22.00 10.80 10.85 10.75 11.87 11.92 11.77

PHILADELPHIA GRAIN.

WASHINGTON STOCK EXCHANGE. Massachusetts Gas... Massachusetts Gas.pfd... Mohawk Mining... N. Y. N. H. & H. SALUS

SALES.

Capital Traction 5s, \$1,000 at 106 , \$1,000 at 106 k.

Washington Railway preferred, 10 at 80 k.

Washington Gas Light, 5 at 76 k.

Mergenthaler Linotype, 1 at 164 k.

American National Bank, 19 at 152 k, 8 at 183 k.

Shannon Mining.

Shannon Mining.

Shannon Mining. at 80%.

Washington Gas Light, 5 at 76%.

Mergenthaler Linotype, 1 at 164%.

American National Bank, 19 at 152%, 8 at 182%, 8 lo at 152%.

After call:

Washington Bullets 6 5 200 at 200. Washington Railway 4s, \$1,000 at 80%.

Ray Consol Mining.
Shannon Mining.
Swift & Co.
Tamarack Mining.
United Fruit
United Fruit
United Shoes Machinery.
United Shoes Machinery pfd.
U. S. Smelt, Refin. & Min.
U. Smelt, Refi

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, March 8 .- HOGS-Receipts, 35,000 head

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

nd 4s. 1921. 161% BALTIMORE CITY STOCKS (Reg.)

City 35-8, 1940. 91
Sewerage 35-8, 1989. 85-8
GAS AND ELECTRIC,
Baltimore Electric pfd. 50. 43-9
C. G. G. C. M. 5-8, 1939. 92
C. G. G. E. L. & P. C. M. 45-8, 1935. 89
C. G. E. L. & P. com, 100. 107-9
C. G. E. L. & P. pfd. 100. 117-9
U. E. L. & P. lat C. M. 45-9, 1921. 93-9
BANKS AND TRUST COMPANIES.
Baltimore Trust

RAILROAD BONDS.

Atlantic Coast Line of Conn. Ga. Sou. & Fla. let pfd., 100. Mon. Val. Trac. pfd... United R. & E. Co. 50

Md. Elec. Rys. 5s.. Mill. Ry. Ref. 4bs..

L. Co. 1st C. 5s, 1963. Rys. 5s.

*Ex-dividend.

112%

265

1	GOVERNMENT BONDS.
	Bid.
	United States registered 2s 99%
	United States coupon 2s 99%
	United States registered is 102%
	United States coupon 3s
	United States registered 4s, 110%
	United States coupon 4s
	District of Columbia 3.658
	GAS BONDS.
	Georgetown Gas Cert, Ind. 5e 10256
	Georgetown Gas 5s
	Washington Gas 5s
	Columbia Gas & Electric 5s 78
	Columbia Gas & Electric Deb. 4s 60
	RAILROAD BONDS.
	Anacostia & Potomac guaranteed 5s 261-
	Anacostia & Potomac 5s
	City & Suburban 5s
	Metropolitan 5s
	Washington Railway & Electric 4s 30%
1	MISCELLANEOUS BONDS
1	Potomac Electric Cons. 5s 99%
	Potomac Electric Light 5s 104
١	Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone 5a 103%
	American Telephone & Telegraph & 95
١	American Tel. & Teleg. 4%s
1	American Graphophone 1st 6s 98%
	Washington Ma.ket 5s, 1927 98

New York, March 8.—FLOUR—Weaker; inquiry is inactive. Kansas straighta, to arrive, in car lota, 5.385.56; spring patents for March to April, 5.485.85; spring clears, 5.185.35; soft straighta, to arrive, 5.385.50. All quotations are on sack basis in wholesale lots.

BUTTER—Oreamery extras, 92 scores, N; creamers, held, higher scores, Ma35/s; creamery, held extras, 22.25/s; dairr, best, 35.35; renouted, extras, 22.25/s; dairr, best, 35.35; renouted, extras, 22.25/s; ladies, as to quality, 21.22.

EGGS—Hennery whites, 30.31; hennery browns, 28.35; fresh gathered extras, 22.35; fresh gathered extras, 22.57/s; dairr, best, 32.55; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 23%; fresh gathered, firsts, 22; fresh gathered, seconds, 21.5/s.225/s; duck eggs, 28.35.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, dry packed, young hens and toms, 30; old toms, 21; chickens, dry-packed, 12 to box, Western, milk fed, 19s.27.

Lanston Monotype. 103/s

	Washington Railway & Electric pfdf 8
	Norfolk & Washington Steamboat 130
	Washington Gas 7
	American Telephone & Telegraph 13
	TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.
	Mergenthaler Linotype
	Lanston Monotype 6
	MINING STOCKS.
	Greene-Cananea
	· NATIONAL BANK STOCKS.
,	
,	
÷	Columbia 24
	Commercial 194
	District
,	Farmers & Mechanics' 2#
í	
	Lireoln

ederal 13
ireoln 16
fetropolitan
econd
ational Bank of Washington 22
TRUST COMPANY STOCKS.
merican Security & Trust
Sational Savings & Trust
nion Trust
Vashington Loan & Trust
Continental Trust
SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.
Iome Savings
Sank of Commerce & Savings E
ast Washington Savings Bank 13
ecurity Savings & Commercial Bank., 13
FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.
rlington !
orcoran 80
Tremen's 1
erman-American
Sational Union
TITLE INSURANCE.
Columbia
Olumbia

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Mill. Ry. Ref. 49as.
Minn. St. P. Jt. 5s.
Nor. & Ports. Trac. 5s.
United R. & E. Ist 4e, 1949.
United R. & E. Inc. 4s. 1949.
Wash., Bal. & Annap Sc.
MISCELLANEOUS, *Ex-dividend.

PHILADELPHIA PRODUCE.

Philadelphia, March 8.—BUTTER—The market ruled firm under light offerings and a fair demand, and prices of solid-packed creamery further advanced vsc. We quote: Western solid-packed creamery, fancy specials, 40; extra, 38; extra firsts, 38-37; firsts, 3 Philadelphia, March 8.—BUTTER—The market ruled firm under light offerings and a fair demand, and prices of solid-packed creamery further advanced by Quote: Western solld-packed creamery, fanny specials, 60; extra, 53; extra firsts, 56aT; firsts, 54aT; occurs, fanny specials, 60; extra, 53; extra firsts, 56aT; firsts, 54aT; seconds, 30a32; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 54aT; seconds, 30a32; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 54aT; seconds, 30a32; jobbing sales of fancy prints, 44aT.

EGGS—Offerings were only moderate, and the market ruled steady, with trade fair, The quotations: In free cases, nearby extras, 27 per dozen; firsts, 7.30 per standard case; nearby current receipts, 7.65 per case; Western, extra finds, 7.20 per case; Southern, 6.30a7.05 per case; fancy selected candied fresh eggs were jobbing at 30a3 per dozen.

GREEN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—Apples, per barrel—Jouathan, faccy, 3.25a3.75, do., fair telegon of the composition NEW YORK MONEY.

NEW YORK MAPER A.—Oil money today common of the common of

RISE TO HARD WORK

Miss Mollie Williams, Leading Bob Manchester's Burlesquers, Is Vir-



Miss Mollie Williams, leading Bob Manchester's Burlesquers at the Gayety this week, owes her position as a star in burlesque to ten years of consistent work. It is her ability to work as hard on the last night performance of the show

BALTIMORE PRODUCE.

Chicago, March 8.—HOGS—Receipts, 38,000 head; active 15c above yesterday's average; bulk, 9.20a, 9.50; light, 8.98a9.45; mixed, 9.10a9.50; heavy, 9.00a, 9.55; rough, 9.00a, 15; pigs, 7.80a8.50.
CATTLE—Receipts, 15,000 head; firm; native beef steers, 7.40a9.85; stokers and feeders, 5.75a7.90; cows and heifers, 3.50a8.50; culves, 8.25a11.00.
SHEEP—Receipts, 16,000 head; firm; wethers, 8.00s, 8.80; lambs, 9.50a11.50. Baltimore, March 8 - FLOUR-Winter clear, 4.80, 15: do straight, 5.25a5.40; do patent, 5.70a Baltimore, March 8.—FLOUR.—Winter clear, 4.89a 5.15; do., straight, 5.25a5.40; do., patcent, 5.70a 5.96; spring clear, 5.65a5.40; do., atraight, 5.60a 5.90; do., patcent, 6.65a6.30; city mills' best winter patcut, 6.75; do., blended patent, 6.85 do., high-grade straight, 6.85; do., catra, 4.85a5.25; do., spring patcut, 6.85; rre flour, medium to choice, 5.50a6.00; commeal, per 100 lbs. 1.80a1.90; GREEN FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—Apples, nearby loose-narked per bbs. 1.00a1.69; do., New decided shrinkthe stock exarket continued
pylied the bulk
by dell.

Bid. Asked.

Bid. Asked.

Bid. Asked.

Bid. Asked.

Bid. Asked.

Bid. Self
B Baltimore, March 8.-There was a decided shrinkage in the volume of business on the stock ex-change, but the undertone of the market continued firm. Oil shares, while they again supplied the bulk f the transactions, were comparatively dull.

Bid. Asked.

CITY AND STATE SECURITIES.

| 92 | 93 | 197 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884 | 1884

| 144 | 2.00 |
| 225 | DRESSED FOULTBY—Chickens, straight, young 1804 | 153% | per lb., 20; do., mixed, young and old, per lb., 17a18; do., old roosters, per lb., 11a12; ducks, choice, fst., per lb., 2a20; capons, 7 lbs., 2a28; do., medium, 2ia25; do. small, 18a20; geese, choice.

medium, 25a25; do. small, 18a20; geese, choice, nearbs, 16a17.

LIVE POULTRY-Chickens, old hens, 4 lbs. and over, per lb., 16's; do., old hens, gmailer, lb., 16's; too, sold hens, gmailer, lb., 16's; too, sold hens, gmailer, lb., 25a21; do., young, large, per lb., 18a20; do., small, per lb., 18a17; dness, Muscowy, 2 lbs, ITa6; do., puddle, 5 lbs, and over, 18a20; Indian runners, lb., 16a17; pigcons, putr, 20a25; guinea fowl, 1's pounds and over, 1's; do., smaller, 5685; geese, Maryland and Virginia, 15a16; Western and Southern, 18a15.

BALTIMORE GRAIN.

Baltimore, March 8.—WHEAT—Receipts, 12295 bushels, consisting of 156 bushels Southern and 123,803 bushels Western; shipments from elevators, 175,241 bushels. Stock in elevators, 1,063,782 bushels. March, 1.17%, nominal, CORN—Receipts, 109,921 bushels, consisting of 165,628 bushels Western and 4,283 bushels need 105,632 bushols Western and 4.2% bushols new Southern; shipments from elevators, 2.574 bushols. Stock in elevators, 2.683,003 bushels. Prime sail yellow is quotable at 79 per bushol. Cob corn was quoted at 1.85 per burrel. The market opened essier. Spot, 784, nominal; March, 784, nominal; Arril, 785, nominal. OATS—Receipts, 25,425 bushels; withdrawn from elevators, 20,722 bushels; stock in elevators, 732,171 bushels. Prices were: Standard white, 46%; No. 3 white, 47; No. 4 white, 45.

as she does on the opening night that has brought to her the pinnacle of buriesque achievement and won her the good will of public and managers alike.

As one of the company puts it. "Miss Williams would put forth as much effort before an fil house as she does before a crowded house." As a result Miss Williams today is pisying the lead in what is practically her own show, as it does not carry a stage manager—a show that is one of the biggest in burlesque.

Miss Williams' career has been spent mostly in burlesque, though last season she played the Keith circuit in vaudeville. She is an ardent horsewoman, drives her own car, and raises vegetables and flowers in her own garden at her own home in Freeport, L. I., where she has many noted Thespian neighbors, including Frank Tinney and the

Next season Miss Williams is going to put on a new dramatic dancing specialty, which, though similar to the dance of this year's show, is more elaborate and more difficult.

The plot has to do with a girl crook who offers to pose for an artist, in whose studie the secence is laid. While he to the secence is laid.

studio the scene is laid. While he is out of the room during her change of dress she calls in her accomplice, who is waiting at the window, and hides him under the bed.

The artist on returning finds him, and a struggle ensues, in which the rogue, Mr. Fanning, falls from a high balcony, landing across a table, as he does in the present sketch. The artist then permits the girl to leave instead of turning her over to the police.

CAPITAL \$1,000,000 \$2,000,000 SURPLUS RESOURCES Over \$14,000,000 It Is Obviously

Certain -that an institution whose resources, equipment and experience place it among America's leading banks will

interests. By depositing your funds here you will secure the protection and assistance of

best conserve your financial

such a bank. Accounts of individuals, firms and corporations in-

We issue our own DRAFTS direct on London.

The Riggs NATIONAL BANK.

Notice to Garage Owners New Fire Regulation

"NO SMOKING"
By Order of D. C. Commissioners. WE MAKE THEM. idna GARNER-RUPPERT CO. 504 126 NW

TURNING POINT

M. 5795.

Northern Pacific Japanese Bonds Mojave Tungsten Mercan. Marine

Utah Westinghouse Rock Island

Letter 171 shows Market Turning Point.

Clarence Cone & Co. 65 Broadway, New York

The Safest Investments

Are those that do not fluctuate during dis-Are those that do not fluctuate during dis-turbed conditions of the money or stock mar-kets. First deed of trust notes (first mort-gages), well secured on real estate in the Dis-trict of Columbia, constitute "gilt-edge" in-vestments. They do not depend upon the financial responsibility of individuals or oor-porations for their stability, and are exempt from taxation as personal property. We can supply such investments in amounts from \$500 upward. Send for booklet, "Concerning Loans and Investments."

Swartzell, Rheem & Hensey Co., 727 Fifteenth Street Northwest.

MILLER TRAIN CONTROL BOUGHT-SOLD-QUOTED

T. R. J. CAMPBELL & CO. 1 Southern Building. Tel. Main 686

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE American Fidelity Company, of Montpelier, Vt.

On the 31st day of December, 1915, as required under the District of Celumbia Code, amended June 30, 1902, and August 18, 1911:

Capital stock \$306,500 60
Capital stock paid up, in cash \$305,500 60
Cash in office \$5,918 77
Cash in bank \$185,660 28
Stocks and bonds (market value) \$459,120 50
Premiums uncollected and in hands of agents \$76,471 69
Interest due and accrued \$7,812 48
All other assets other assets: Re-insurance, losses due from other companies............ 86,819 44

PERCY H. RUSSELL

General Agent.

Russell Corner, 9th & N. Y. Ave. N. W., Washington, D. C.